FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Powers James					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ACTIVE POWER INC [ ACPW ]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner			/ner
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ACTIVE POWER, INC. 2128 W BRAKER LANE, BK12					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/25/2016							X Officer (give title other (specify below)  Chief Financial Officer			
(Street) AUSTIN TX 78758 (City) (State) (Zip)				4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					Line	S. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da				9	Execution Date		Code (Insti	n Disposed	ities Acquired (A) o d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a (A) or (D) Prid		Securitie Beneficia Owned F Reported Transacti	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(S) (Instr. 3 and 4)		7. Nature of ndirect Beneficial Ownership Instr. 4)	
			Table II - Der (e.g					uired, Disp s, options,				Owned			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)  2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security  (Instr. 3)  3. Transaction Date Execution Date (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day/Year)		Code	Transaction Code (Instr.		ve es d ed nstr.	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amour of Securities Underlying Derivative Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	02/25/2016		A		80,000		02/25/2018 <sup>(2)</sup>	(2)	Common Stock	80,000	\$0	80,000	D	

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock.
- 2. With continued service, 100% of shares shall vest on February 25, 2018; or upon an earlier Change in Control (as defined in the Company's Amended and Restated 2010 Equity Incentive Plan), 100% of shares shall immediately vest and all restrictions shall lapse immediately prior to the consummation of any Change in Control. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person as soon as practicable after vesting.

## Remarks:

/s/ James Powers (Attorney-in-

02/25/2016

<u>Fact)</u>

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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